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Applicant	: Hill, et al.	Art Unit	: 1793
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Title	: SACRIFICIAL AGENT FOR FLY ASH CONCRETE		

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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Applicants note with appreciation the interview at the USPTO on August 5, 2008 with the Examiner, the undersigned, and inventors Russell Hill, Carmel Jolicoeur and Thi Cong To. Applicants' representatives and the Examiner discussed amendments and arguments to address the 35 U.S.C. § 112 and new matter rejections.

The Examiner removed the rejections based on Naji (U.S. Patent No. 6,875,266), Young (U.S. Patent Publication No. 2004/0200389), MacDonald (U.S. Patent No. 5,654,352), Okimura (U.S. Patent No. 4,453,978) and Chugh (U.S. Patent No. 6,277,189). Applicants' representatives described the sacrificial agents described in the application and discussed claim amendments. Applicants' representatives described the differences between the claimed sacrificial agent and the remaining prior art references. Applicants' representatives indicated that they would consider providing a declaration or other arguments related to the differences between the claims and the prior art. Applicants' representatives and the Examiner discussed possible allowance as a result of the claim amendments and arguments related to the prior art references.

Respectfully submitted,

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